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Title: HOST-FABRIC ADAPTER HAVING
HARDWARE ASSIST ARCHITECTURE AND
METHOD OF CONNECTING A HOST SYSTEM TO A
CHANNEL-BASED SWITCHED FABRIC IN A DATA
NETWORK

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This responds to the Office Action mailed on November 18, 2005. Please amend the above-identified patent application as follows.

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